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PROCEDURE PURSUANT TO
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REMARKS

This response is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Claims 1, 3-9, 15, 17-22, 27, 29-34, 39, 41-46, and 66-87 are pending.

Claims 29-34 and 41-46 are stated as withdrawn, but Applicants request reconsideration, as they appear to contain species EXP #1.

Claims 1, 3-9, 15, 17-22, 27, 39, and 66-86 (in part) are indicated as allowed in the Office Action Summary.

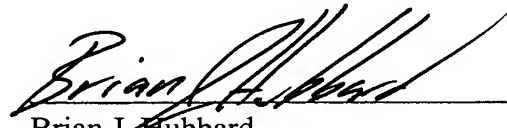
Claim 87 was rejected under 35 USC §102(b) over the Mitzel response, but Claim 87 has been amended, and thus the rejection is moot.

Applicants request a full search of the pending claims.

If the Examiner has any questions, she is invited to call the undersigned.

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